INFORMATION SHEET

FLAMMABLE/COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID STORAGE

A permit is required from the Fire Prevention Division to store, handle or use Class I liquids in excess of five (5) gallons in a building or in excess of ten (10) gallons outside a building; and to store, handle or use Class II or Class III-A liquids in excess of twenty-five (25) gallons in a building or in excess of sixty (60) gallons outside a building. *NFPA 1: 1.12*

- Outside storage of flammable and/or combustible liquids shall be in accordance with *NFPA 1:66.4.7*.
- Where inside liquid storage areas are required in other occupancies, they shall meet all applicable requirements of *NFPA 1: 66.4.4* and all applicable requirements of *NFPA 1: 66.4.5*. Where other factors substantially increase or decrease the hazard, the Fire Prevention Division shall be permitted to modify the quantities specified. *NFPA 1: 66.4.5.1.1*
- The display arrangement, storage arrangement and maximum total quantity of liquids allowed shall meet the requirements of this subsection and *Table 66.4.5.2*.

 NFPA 1: 66.4.5.2
- Requirements for liquid storage areas in other occupancies, see NFPA 1: 66.4.5
- In locations where flammable vapors could be present, precautions shall be taken to prevent ignition by eliminating or controlling sources of ignition. *NFPA 1: 66.2.4.3.1*
- Signs shall be posted in storage areas prohibiting open flames and smoking. *NFPA* 1: 66.2.4 & 66.2.4.3.2
- Portable fire extinguishers shall be provided in accordance with NFPA 1: 66.4.9.1

The items listed are basic information only. Codes are subject to change. Additional requirements may apply.

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